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Applicant: Kaeppeler et al.

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the request for restriction mailed on May 24, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application, Applicants herewith elect to prosecute the claims in Group I (claims 1 and 5-12). This election is made without traverse.

If any additional fees are incurred as a result of the filing of this paper, authorization is given to charge deposit account number 23-0785.

Respectfully submitted,

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